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TERMS: Daily—1 year, $5:00 6 months $2:50; 3 months, $1.25; 1 month, 43 cents 1 week, 10 cents.

MISCELLANEOUS ITEMS.

The buildings of the standard manufacturing company, at Mount Holly, N. J., were burned early yesterday. The factory was the largest in Mount Holly.

Count Leo Tolstoy's physicians announced yesterday in Moscow that the reformers' illness will likely develop into pneumonia which, in a man of his years would prove fatal. His condition is said to be similar to that of the late Pope Lee XIII in his fatal illness.

Dissatisfaction among Japanese commercial bodies over the postponement of the Japanese exposition from 1912 to 1917 is becoming strong that there is danger of the scheme being abandoned altogether. The Tokio Businessmens Association met today and framed a protest to send to the cabinet.

The mystery surrounding the disappearance of Mrs. Alice Donahue, of Oakland, Cal., on June 11 has been partially cleared up by the discovery of her body in a shallow mud grave in a West Oakland moor and the arrest of Gustave Arkell, charged with the murder of the woman.

Three men were hurled into Niagara river yesterday by the explosion of the engine of the 40 foot racing yacht, White Star, opposite North Tonawanda, N. J. A boat was sent out from Tonawanda rescued the men. One of them was severely burned by the explosion and was unconscious when brought ashore. The boat burned to the water's edge.

As a result of a conference in New York yesterday between T. C. DuPont, the head of the speakers bureau of the republican national committee and Booker T. Washington, it was decided that the latter would work in connection with the committee in behalf of Judge Taft's election. Instead of going up on the stump Booker will devote his attention to organization work among the negro schools, colleges and churches.

Impressed by the success of the Standard Oil Company in establishing and maintaining a world wide petroleum monopoly Germany will send a representative to America in the fall, it was announced yesterday to study the Standard's methods at close range to see whether a national petroleum monopoly is possible in Germany. Germany has long been dissatisfied with the Standard's domination of the German market, but has never been able to successfully combat it. The oil fields of Russia are among the richest in the world and Germany sees no reason why, with this great field almost at her doors, she should be at the mercy of John D. Rockefeller.

Hundreds have joined the Santa Cruz, Cal., fire department as volunteers to check a fierce forest fire which is sweeping the famous Redwood timber land there. Scores of homes are menaced. Boys playing with matches in a barn started the conflagration.

THIEVING IN HAVANA.

Ricardo Rodriguez, chief of the Bureau of Supplies and Vouchers in the Havana postoffice, who disappeared after the discovery of a shortage in that department amounting to $58,185, was arrested by the police tonight. He was in hiding, and disguised when the police, who have been searching for him since Friday, found him.

Rodriguez is 70 years of age and was employed for 10 years in the Philadelphia postoffice entering the Cuban service from that city at the time of the first American intervention.

According to the police, the thieving in the Bureau of Supplies has been going on for several years. Sheets of stamps were abstracted from the original packages, which were then re-sealed, so that the taking of stock did not reveal the deficiency. Suspicion was at last aroused and Postmaster General Henrandez, who was not long in learning that the dishonest practices centered in the bureau in which Rodriguez was chief, ordered a count of all the stamps, whereby the exact amount of the deficiency was ascertained.

There are many imitations of DeWitt's Carbolized Witch Hazel Salve but just one original. Sold by W. F. Creighton & Co.

SHIPS WRECKED AND LIVES LOST.

Terrific storms swept the British channel and the English, Irish and Welsh coasts Monday night. A number of wrecks are reported and many lives lost.

All the steamers arriving at English ports from the continent report unusually rough trips.

The island steamer Vera Jean, of London, is ashore of Rhoose Point. The crew have been landed.

The steamer Empress, from Boulogne, landed 600 passengers at Dover yesterday. The vessel had spent part of the night in attempting to approach Folkestone, but because of the gale this was found impossible.

Autumnal gales of cyclonic violence, accompanied by a torrential downpour of rain, raged on the southwest coasts of Europe during the past 24 hours. All the cross-channel traffic has been seriously delayed. Telephonic and telegraphic communication has been interrupted and the shore resorts have been greatly damaged by the wind and high seas.

Some uneasiness is felt at Cherbourg for Dr. Jean Charcot's ship, Pourquoi Pas, which has not been signaled since she sailed Monday for the Antarctic.

The ship was to have sailed on August 15, but her departure was postponed until Monday on account of bad weather, her commander wishing to husband the coal supply.

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Ernest H. Bartow, of Englewood, N. J., killed himself yesterday by inhaling illuminating gas. He was formerly assistant superintendent of the deposit vaults of the Day and Night Bank, in New York, but had been out of work for nearly eighteen months.

Tourist Excursion Fares.

The Southern Railway announces effective June 1st resumption of sale of tourist excursion tickets to points in Virginia, North and South Carolina, Tennessee, etc., and return. These tickets will be on sale daily until September 30; final return limit October 31, unless otherwise specified. For further information apply to nearest coupon ticket agent, Southern Railway.

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Cool Healthy Weather

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Something to wear till the fall styles are here. Come in and look at the styles. Made to your liking and guaranteed to please.

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Delightful effects and suggestions may be secured by an inspection of this exhibition of furniture priced to meet the purchasing power of any shopper who realizes the intrinsic value to be secured at our annual furniture sale.

Among the many articles included in this sale are Dressers, Chiffoniers, Commodes, Washstands, Beds, Cheval Mirrors, Bedroom Chairs and Rockers, Toilet Tables, Bedroom Suites, Buffets, China Cabinets, Extention Tables, Serving Tables, Dining-room Chairs, Dining room Suites, Two and Three Piece Parlor Suites, Odd Parlor Settees, Odd Parlor Chairs and Rockers, Parlor Cabinets, Roman Chairs, Gilt Chairs and Settees, Parlor Tables, Hall Mirrors, Hall Seats Hall Racks, Hall Chairs, Hall Tables, Library Tables, Women's Desks, Bookcases, India Seats, Turkish Chairs and Rockers, Weathered Oak Chairs and Rockers and Settees, Morris Chairs, Leather and Box Couches, &c., in oak, mahogany, mahogany-finish, bird's-eye maple, weathered oak and all the popular woods.

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These are extra fine, made of finest Sea Island cotton; specially adapted for women's wear. Only a limited quantity at these prices

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Opening of the Public Schools

The Clerk of the City School Board will be at the Armory Hall for the purpose of issuing permits for entering the Public Schools, which open on SEPTEMBER 7, as follows:

For white children—Monday, Tuesday and Wednesday, September 7, 8 and 9, from 9 a. m. to 2 p. m.

For colored children—Thursday and Friday, September 10 and 11, from 9 a. m. to 2 p. m.

In order that the schools may be properly organized, no permits will be issued after the 11th until the 21st. Those wishing to secure seats for their children will bring their city capitation tax receipts for the year 1908.

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ESTABLISHMENT OF HARBOR LINES, Alexandria, Va.—U. S. Engineer Office, 22nd and K streets, N. W., Washington, D. C., Aug. 12, 1908 A public hearing will be given in Chamber of Commerce of Alexandria, Va., Sept. 4, 1908, at 11 a. m., to all persons interested in establishment of harbor lines for port of Alexandria, Va. Maps showing proposed harbor lines are on view here and at Chamber of Commerce, Alexandria, Va. SPENCER COSBY, Major, Engrs.

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Come and see us before buying mowers, rakes, grain and corn harvesters, as well as peg, spring and disk harrows and cultivators.

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A good thing to use after washing your hair—NICKLIN'S HAIR TONIC, 25 cents Manufactured by E. S. LEADBEATER & SONS.

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Mild Cured and Old Virginia and Missouri HAMS, for sale by J. C. MILBURN.

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WEDNESDAY EVENING, SEPT. 2, 1908.

THE annual report of Commissioner Koiner and the board of agriculture is now being sent out to the farmers in the state These reports are full of subjects on practical agriculture, general farming, stock raising, how to raise mules, what kind of horses are the most profitable to Virginia farmers, grass growing, fruit culture and various subjects pertaining to agriculture in the state. Trucking is also discussed. The report contains practical methods of feeding cattle and sheep. The report is well illustrated. It contains a splendid calendar on how to spray, when to spray and what to spray for, and how to make the solutions for spraying. There is an interesting article on poultry raising. The poultry products of Virginia amounted last year to $7,000,000. There is also an article on growing alfalfa. Mr. Koiner urges the farmers to use more horsepower and less human power on the farm by using more machinery. The document is intensely practical and full of valuable information to every farmer and becomes more so each year. The value of horses in Virginia last year was $30,000,000, and the value of all live stock was $68,000,000. The total value of farm crops, including dairy products, was $81,000,000, making a grand total of $149,000,000. Virginia is now the richest state in the south except Texas. The commissioner says real estate is advancing each year. Last year nearly 2,000 farms were bought in Virginia by people from beyond her borders. The population has increased 7 per cent. in the last five years, which is more than any other southern state.

ATTORNEY GENERAL JACKSON, of New York, acting under the state anti trust law, has obtained a court order for a hearing of charges against the coal-carrying railroads of the state, to the effect that they operate under an agreement amounting to a virtual monopoly so as to keep up prices on this staple commodity. Officers of the Lehigh Valley, Lackawanna, Reading, Delaware and Hudson, Ontario and various coal companies have been summoned to make answer. Mr. Jackson will ask for an injunction against the continuance of the agreement, which it is hoped may be granted and made perpetual.

THE owner of the New York Herald says no money will buy that paper; a few days since the owners declined an offer of two million dollars for the New York Tribune; the controlling interest in the London Times, it is said, recently cost over a million and a half dollars and it was announced yesterday that the Minneapolis Journal has been purchased for one million, two hundred thousand dollars. If this thing keeps up the first thing we know somebody will be coming around here and offering a million dollars for the Alexandria Gazette.

D. W. PARRY, of Indianapolis, ex-president of the Association of Manufacturers and a prominent republican, announces himself opposed to the posting of "prosperity placards" in factories in behalf of Taft's election and against business scares gotten up for political effect. The republican leaders are resorting to all sorts of tricks to catch the unwary, but in vain does the fowler spread his net in sight of the bird.

AT A conference of New York republicans at Oyster Bay yesterday, President Roosevelt declared that, in his opinion, it was absolutely necessary to renominate Governor Hughes. In this declaration Mr. Roosevelt tacitly admits his doubt as to republican success in New York next November and also somersaults on his previous declaration that he would not interfere with New York State politics.

IN an attempt to lynch a negro who had attacked a white girl while on her way to work in Chicago yesterday, a mob of nearly one thousand men made a charge on a policeman, and would have taken and hanged his prisoner but for the timely arrival of policemen from other stations. Lynching is being quite a pastime in Illinois.

CHAIRMAN HITCHCOCK has been asked to intervene to bring about harmony between the warring republican factions in Illinois and to heal the split in the party in that state. This does not agree with the boasted harmony among the republicans one sees so much about in the republican papers.

THE republicans have again carried Vermont which is another case of the Dutch taking Holland though this time they did so by 5,000 votes less than they had claimed.

From Washington.

(Correspondence of the Alexandria Gazette.)

Washington, Sept. 2

Secretary Metcalf after his ninety-eighth trip across the continent, today resumed active control of the department. He has been absent nearly three months in California. He is sanguine of republican victory on the Pacific slope this fall. He says that if the battleship question were left to the determination of the voters there, they would demand ten new warships yearly.

The Navy Department was advised today of the death of Captain Greenlief A. Merriam, at Portsmouth, N. H., navy yard following an operation for appendicitis. He was born in Baltimore and was in command of the "Dixie" in the Spanish-American war.

Count Von Hatzfeldt, charge d'affaires of the German Embassy called at the State Department today to discuss the question of the recognition of Mulai Hafid as Sultan of Morocco.

Carrie Nation, the Kansas hatchet wielder, is now hot on the trail of William H. Taft. She announced here today that she was going to make things as unpleasant for him as possible, right in his home town. "I shall hit Cincinnati in about ten days," she declared today, "and when I get there, I will have something to say that will make the people sit up and take notice. I am going to tell them about Mr. Taft's religion. It will be my duty to say to the people of Cincinnati that Mr. Taft belongs to the biggest organized band of infidels in the world. I guess that is going some—eh?" Incidentally Mrs. Nation paid her respects to President Roosevelt, declaring that "he is the biggest fraud this country has had in any office in its history."

With the postponement until 1917 of the Japanese exposition, officially announced by the State Department, Washington is wondering what will become of the American commission, created by Congress last year. Chairman Francis B. Loomis, of the commission, receives $8,000 a year; Frederick V. Skiff, F. D. Millet, and Secretary J. C. O'Laughlin, the other members, each are on the government's pay roll for $5,000 yearly. The question as to whether the commission will be continued the five additional years until 1917 and whether the members will remain on the pay roll during all that time will be put up to Congress next winter by President Roosevelt.

The "spherical balloon" of the signal corps of the army ascended today at 8:27 a. m. When last seen it was headed toward Baltimore. Lieutenants Lahm, Foulois and Selfridge were in the basket.

Louis Lundry, the negro who was shot by Representative Heflin, was arrested last night for disorderly conduct.

By direction of the president the acting secretary of war today appointed a general court martial to meet at Fort Wayne, Mich., on Sept. 29. Although the department will not disclose the case or cases to be tried, from the prominence and rank of the court's membership, it is thought that at least a brigadier general is under fire.

Virginia News.

The capital commission yesterday gave the contract for the large addition to the library building at Richmond to J. T. Nuckols, of that city, for $76,710.

A company of negroes has been formed in Richmond to purchase the Pine Beach resort, near Norfolk, for the exclusive use of the colored people of Virginia.

Oscar Keesee, aged 22, was found guilty of voluntary manslaughter in the circuit court at Tazewell yesterday and was sentenced to 18 months in the penitentiary. He killed Marcus Groseclose in a quarrel over some beer.

Since the waters of Roanoke river have subsided, it is found that the damage to the crops on the river are nothing like so serious as was generally reported. Meherrin river was higher than perhaps in the knowledge of the present generation.

An epidemic of typhoid fever is prevalent in various parts of Frederick county, and the health authorities are considerably alarmed at the situation. At Cross roads, in the western part of the county, there are six cases, while at Lakeview, near the Clarke county line, eight cases are reported.

Jesse Crabill, an employe at the stave mills of Borden Bros. & Co., at Manassas, is in a precarious condition owing to his having been struck on the head by a belt Monday morning. The young man was rendered unconscious. His skull is probably fractured and the chances for his recovery are thought to be slight.

Confining their operations within a radius of 100 feet burglars were unusually active in Norfolk early yesterday morning. By unique methods they entered three of the city's leading stores and got away $65 in cash and a suit of clothes. They attempted to enter the fourth place of business, but were frightened off. Those that suffered were the Burt Shoe Company, the New York Clothing Company and L. H. Whitehurst's dry goods store.

Earle Reynolds, an employe of the Crystal Springs Laundry, was run down and instantly killed by an electric car of the Roanoke Railway and Electric Company, near Norwich bridge, in the western part of Roanoke, Monday night. Reynolds got off a Norwich car near his house, but instead of proceeding to his house, sat down on the track on a sharp curve in a dark spot, and the same car on its return hit him, cutting the body in two.

Owen Fuller, an inmate of Frederick county parish farm, was committed to jail yesterday to await action of the grand jury for assaulting Henry Neville, an aged and feeble inmate of the same institution. Evidence at the hearing showed that Fuller, in a rage, grabbed Neville by his long white hair and beat him over the head with a sharp stone, penetrating the skull in four places. The old man is still in a precarious condition, and may not recover.

Sultan of Morocco.

Paris, Sept. 2.—The action of France and Spain in refusing a formal recognition of Mulai Hafid as sultan of Morocco is considered in diplomatic circles here today as a direct insult to Germany for the latter's activity in urging the powers to recognize Mulai as the lawful successor of Abdul Aziz. Germany's haste in sending Dr. Vassel, the German consul to Tangier, to Fez for the purpose, as France suspects, of having him first to win the favor of the new sultan, has aroused the ire of both France and Spain whose interests in Morocco are more vital than those of any powers.

Traffic is tied up and it is known that scores of French vessels were crippled by the storm which swept the French coast yesterday.

News of the Day.

The police of Atlantic City admit they are without a clue as to who shot Charles B. Roberts.

The Franco-American Joint Tariff Commissioners have concluded their labors in Paris, and James Burton Reynolds, assistant secretary of the treasury and his colleagues will return home at once

With weather favoring, Vermont voters to the number of about 60,000 turned out yesterday, and the republicans carried the state by more than 25,000, which was 5,000 under the predictions by party leaders.

The comparative statement of the government receipts and expenditures shows a deficit for the month of August, 1908, of $3,909,127, as against a deficit for July, 1908, of $24,869,438, and a surplus for August, 1907, of $3,628,491.

The monthly statement of the public debt shows that at the close of business August 31, 1908, the debt, less cash in the treasury, amounted to $933,886,588, which is an increase for the month of $5,076,765.

Potato bugs on the rails at Lazy Lane, Bristol Ct., yesterday stalled cars laden with excursionists bound to Lake Compounce. In spite of the terrific slaughter, the bugs held possession of the track until the carmen could sand the tracks.

Succumbing to the deadly fumes of burning pitch and oskum deep down the forepeak of the British bark Puritan as she lay at anchor in President Roads, at Boston, Mass., yesterday, four seamen were suffocated and a fifth was partly overcome before he was rescued by shipmates.

In restraining the Birminghan Ala., city authorities from interference with the shipments of beer into that city Judge Thomas G. Jones, of the United States Court, held yesterday that the shipment was an interstate shipment until it reached the purchaser.

John G. Clifford, president of the United Oxygen and Chemical Company, was blown to pieces at the plant of the company at Niagara Falls, N. Y., yesterday in the presence of his 18-year-old son, Roger, when a tank of oxygen charged to 2,200 pounds exploded. The boy was uninjured.

Albert R. Johnston, an employe of the District government, whose wife, Mrs. Annie M. Johnston, several days ago filed a suit for an annulment of their marriage on the ground that he was of negro descent, has filed an answer. He denies that he is a negro and states that his grandfather was born in Maryland.

A woman about 35 years old, giving her name as Katherine M. Roosevelt-Cronin, of Oakland, Cal., called at the White House yesterday. To a policeman at the door the woman said she had come to tell Mrs. Roosevelt to vacate her room, as she was going to take possession. She claimed that she was a long-lost daughter of President Roosevelt. The police arrested the woman, and she will be examined to determine the question of her sanity.

The Geographical Commission appointed by the government seven years ago to map all of the towns of Mexico, have just made their report. They make the astounding statement that they discovered 7,679 towns which were not officially known to exist, and which have heretofore had no federal control. Many of these towns are of considerable size, ranging in population from 5,000 to 15,000 people. Most of them are situated in the remote recesses of the Sierra Madres and in localities far removed from ordinary courses of travel.

Lester Tutt and Virgil Johnson, colored employes of the Hotel Berkeley, in Martinsburg W. Va., engaged in a cutting affray in the kitchen of the hotel at a late hour Monday night, and, as a result, both men are in jail there under the care of physicians, who were compelled to sew up 16 ugly gashes in Tutt and a half dozen in Johnson. Tutt wielded a butcher knife, while Johnson handled a keen-edged-razor. Johnson will recover, but Tutt is in a dangerous condition.

John R. Early, the Washington leper, will receive a pension of $72 a month, for total disability incurred while a soldier in the United States army, as soon as the legal difficulties which surround the payment of the money can be solved, according to a statement made by United States Commissioner of Pensions Warner yesterday. The case has been placed in the hands of the judge advocate general of the army for a solution of the problem of the payment of a pension to a leper who cannot, by reason of his affliction, dispense the money himself.

The forty-second annual encampment of the Grand Army of the Republic was officially opened at Toledo, Ohio, last night at a public meeting. More than 150,000 veterans and their friends are there. An effort was to have been made to send the 1909 encampment to Washington, whether it was wanted there or not, but an effectual damper has been placed on this plan by Col. John Walker, commander-in-chief of the Department of the Potomac, who declared that Washington would not take the meeting, though it would be more than pleased to have it at any other time. Salt Lake City will probably get it.

Because she confessed that she set fire to the Central Hotel, Des Moines, Iowa, in which thirty guests were sleeping, who barely escaped with their lives, Julia Moon, 18 years old, was barely saved from lynching yesterday. When it became known that the girl had confessed, a crowd of angry citizens gathered and offered violence to the girl. To save her life the sheriff spirited her away to Clayton. The girl charged that William South, owner of the hotel, instigated her act, as he wanted the insurance. South and his wife are under arrest.

An unusual series of accidents occurred last week at the new $50,000 coal chute being constructed by a Chicago firm for the Southern Railway at Pelham, N. C. Four men at work on the structure were injured during the course of four hours, all from entirely different mishaps. Finley Joseph, superintendens of the force, was painfully scalded from escaping steam. A few minutes later, his son, Stanley Joseph, fell from the top of a scaffold, a distance of forty feet, and was badly injured. Harry Joseph another son, had a four-penny nail stuck through his foot. George Norris was struck by a missile from a torpedo, which was exploded on the railway track by a passing train. All of the victims were temporarily disabled.

Seven summer visitors out of a party of 10 were drowned by the capsizing of a 35-foot sloop in Penobscot bay, off Deer Isle, Me., yesterday.

Secretary George McLaughin, of the New York Prison Commission, reports that Harry K. Thaw is demoralizing the Duchess county jail and should be taken away.

The Atlantic City Shooting.

Atlantic City, N. J., Sept. 2.—Save for the efforts of the thirty New York and Philadelphia newsmen, who are still fishing for a solution of the boardwalk mystery, the bottom is today out of the search for the would-be assassin of Charles G. Roberts, of Baltimore, who was shot a week ago tonight while riding in a wheel chair in company with Mrs. Williams. The police have practically passed up the case and unless Roberts' condition, which is reported much more favorable today, should turn for the worse, it is probable that his assailant will never be apprehended.

Some of the things that have not occurred to the police are as follows:

What time did Roberts and Mrs. Williams dine; were any liquors served at the meal; did Roberts' clothing show that the shot had been fired at close range; was there a bullet hole through the crown of his hat as reported; has any effort been made to trace the revolver; has Jesse Jackson, the chair pusher, told all he could tell if sweated; what has become of Roberts' hat and coat, which are not to be found now at police headquarters, the hotel or the hospital; why was Mrs. Williams permitted to leave Atlantic City with the case unsolved and why is Jackson permitted to runaway if he desires?

Should any solution of the mystery develop at any future time it is believed that it will emanate from Baltimore, but as the police there have developed the same brand of ennui as effects the local officers the probabilities are that the case will go unsolved.

Electricity Does Not Kill?

New York, Sept. 2.—"Not a murderer whose body ever went to the grave from the death chairs in use in New York and New Jersey was ever killed by the electric current. All met their real deaths from the dissecting knives of the surgeons or were smothered in quick lime with which their bodies were surrounded after their so-called deaths." That is the statement made here today by Dr. Peter J. Gibbons, following the resuscitation of a laborer supposedly killed by electricity in a city manhole. Dr. Gibbons is petitioning the state authorities for leave to resuscitate any criminal "killed" in the chair, "not," he says, "because I want to embarrass the state, but as a means of proving that in the hundred of accidental 'deaths' by electricity many a life now lost may be saved by prompt and intelligent treatment." In support of his contention Dr. Gibbons cites the case of a negro murderer, Taylor, whom he says came to life in Auburn prison after he had been killed by electricity in the death chair. "Taylor," the doctor declares, "came to life again and as the armature of the dynamo had been burned out the prison physicians were forced to destroy his life by chloroform and by strychnine. Fearful of public sentiment the state kept the ghastly secret for many years and it is only recently that it has been published in official reports."

G. A. R.

Toledo, O., Sept. 2.—The veterans parade of the 42nd G. A. R. Encampment moved at 10:30 this morning and it was estimated that 30,000 were in line. William H. Taft and party arrived this morning and will be in the reviewing line. Senators Foraker and Dick are here and the three will meet on the stage of the Lyceum this afternoon in a public reception. Senator Foraker has made a number of addresses but the references to Roosevelt have been vague and mild. The force of the city is supplemented by hundreds of special police and by detectives from outside cities and by the Sixth regiment, O. N. G. in maintaining order and protecting the line of march.

Incendiary Fires.

New York, Sept. 2.—Fire department officials and police are searching today for a man seen at every one of a dozen fires that blazed between noon yesterday and 4:30 a. m. today in the Yorkville section of the city. They believe that the fires were incendiary, and that the man who was seen at each of them was a pyromaniac and that he started the fires. At first the police believed that they were set by thieves, but it was found that nothing had been stolen from the buildings. Then they concluded that a pyromaniac was responsible. The fires occurred in crowded tenement houses and the lives of 500 persons were imperiled.

Labor Leaders Arrested.

Media, Pa., Sept. 2.—Patrick J. Shea, vice-president; William B. Lockhart, local president, and eleven strikers, members of the Amalgamated Trolley Unions of America, are held in jail here today in default of $2,000 on warrants charging conspiracy and the blowing up of cars of the Chester Traction Company. Since the arrest of the men last night one hundred deputy sheriffs have been sworn in and are patrolling the tracks between Chester City and outlying districts. According to officials of the street railway about 20 cars have been wrecked during the past three months.

Rodriguez Arrested.

Havana, Sept 2.—The arrest of Ricardo Rodriguez, the Havana postoffice official who is accused of stealing stamps to the value of $53,135, is to be followed, it was announced by Postmaster Hernadez today, by an investigation of every department in the postoffice. The fact the alleged thefts were carried on for five years before detection, leads to the belief that the office may have suffered other heavy losses. Major General Thomas H. Barry, acting governor, has wired to Governor Magoon, now in Washington, that no other department is involved, but his advices are based on a superficial investigation.

General Gomez who will undoubtedly be the liberals' candidate for president is attacking Hernandez through his official organ, El Triumfo, for carelessness in the conduct of the postoffice. Rodriguez, who had been missing since Saturday, was arrested last night while in hiding in this city. He was in disguise, Rodriguez is 70 years old and at one time worked in the Philadelphia postoffice.

The Market.

Georgetown D. C., Sept. 2.—Wheat 80-91.

No Startling Report.

New York, Sept. 2.—There will be no startling report by the stock exchange committee now investigating the recent failure of the brokerage house of A. O. Brown & Co., according to a tip today emanating from a source close to the defunct firm.

According to this source a full report of A. O. Brown's dealings on the stock exchange a week ago last Saturday would give the public entirely too much insight on stock exchange methods and would shatter absolutely the claim of that body that wash sales are impossible. In addition to this it is said that for political reasons a revelation of the method employed by A. O. Brown & Co., would be highly undesirable at this time with an election pending and the democratic politicians making an issue of the failure of the last legislature to pass a democratic measure calculated to prevent stock gambling.

For identically the same reasons it is said that A. O. Brown &. Co. do not expect to be made the scape goat of the stock exchange in order that the latter body may whitewash itself in the eyes of the public. Wall street believes that A. O. Brown & Co., if absolute ruin was threatened them by the stock exchange investigating committee, might see fit to make public their sheets showing the famous Saturday's business.

There is little doubt but such action on their part would prove highly interesting and prove valuable to those now investigating the schemes.

Several prominent democratic politicians of state prominence called on Edward F. Buchanan of the firm of A. O. Brown & Co., today, in an effort to get him to make public the condition on the stock exchange which made possible the alleged famous wash sale dealing of a week ago Saturday which resulted in the failure of A. O. Brown & Co. The democratic politicians feel that owing to the fact that the receivers for the firm, former Congressman Littlefield, is a republican, the inside story of the firm's dealing will never be made public by him. On the other hand they believe that if the real condition could be shown the democratic cause in the state would be greatly strengthened.

Feared Trouble.

London, Sept. 2.—After making all arrangements for the great recession of Catholic clergymen in the history of the church as the crowning feature of the Eucharistic Congress which opens in London September 9, it was accidentally revealed today that the idea was abandoned at the request of the police, who feared an anti-Catholic demonstration by the crowds who have been attracted by the parade.

Cardinal Vincent Vannutelli, the Papal delegate was, to have headed the procession of clericals, and eight other cardinals, including Cardinal Gibbons of America; one hundred bishops and thousands of clergymen and laity were to have taken part.

Such an imposing array of church dignitaries, it was feared by the police, would incite some fanatic to start a demonstration that would have brought a terrible blot to the English nation, and they succeeded in impressing the heads of the church with the seriousness of the situation and the parade was given up.

Shooting in Stock Exchange.

London, Sept. 2.—A man fired four shots from a revolver among the brokers of the stock exchange today. He was in the act of continuing the fusillade when knocked down and overpowered

The shots created the wildest consternation on the floor of the exchange. Members dropped behind tables and chairs and many beat a hasty retreat.

In the mad scramble to escape the supposed madman's bullets, seven members of the exchange were injured. Business on the floor was suspended for half an hour. Late this afternoon it was learned that the name of the man who did the shooting is Harrison and that he is a Rugby engineer. He said that he had had trouble with one of the brokers, whose name he refused to divulge, and that he had tried to shoot him. Harrison lost his savings through speculation on the exchange and is apparently deranged.

The British Navy.

London, Sept. 2.—Alarmed by the showing in the admiralty's report, just made public, of 442 British vessels of war in accidents, 403 officers and men killed and nearly $10,000,000 lost between Jan. 1, 1901 and May 27, 1908, leaders in the House of Commons announce that they will call the ministry in strict account. For the frightful condition of affairs, quarreling among the higher officers and consequent dissention of the entire service are chiefly blamed. As a secondary cause stress will be laid upon the seniors' custom of placing young and untried subalterns in command of swift torpedo craft, which have been crippled by wholesale under their reckless management.

Fire Burning Out.

City of Mexico, Sept. 2.—After burning for 59 days and destroying 4,000,000 barrels of oil, worth a dollar a barrel, the great fire in the San Geronimo oil fields is today reported extinguished. The six great centrifugal pumps which extinguished the fire by throwing mud and gravel into the flaming crafter, were stopped today. Had these pumps not been brought to the scene it is probable that the entire field, draining many miles of oil territory, would have been destroyed. Oil is still gushing from the well in which the fire started, at the rate of 2,000 barrels a day.

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JEWELERS,
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TELEGRAPHIC BREVITIES.

A New York woman is suing a physician who she declares took her son's heart away after performing an autopsy upon his body.

Theodore S. Fassett, aged 60, president of the Smith-Fassett Lumber Company of Tonawanda, was found dead in bed this morning at his home in Buffalo, N. Y. The cause of death is not known.

A. O. Brown & Co., the New York brokerage firm which failed last week, closed the doors of its branch office in Cleveland, Ohio, today by order of C. E. Littlefield, receiver.

The famous old schooner Yacht Puritan, which in 1885 defended the American cup in defeating in the English challenger Genesta, is to become a packet boat plying between Providence and the Cape Verde Islands.

The engine of a Denver and Rio Grande train, blew up while running at full speed near Thompson, Utah, today, and it is reported that Engineer Lund and his fireman are dead and several passengers slightly injured.

Two cars carrying picnickers from the upper end of the county, ran together in the market street subway at Harrisburg, Pa., today. Slippery rails caused the motormen to lose control of the cars. Five people were hurt—one woman having her leg crushed, and her grandson, who sat beside her, was badly cut and bruised.

Sixty-five cars loaded with scrap iron have been placed on the bridge of the Seaboard Air Line and the Atlantic Coast Line over the Savannah river a few miles above Savannah, Ga., in an effort to hold it in place. The river, fed by the floods that swept Augusta a few days ago, is rising at the rate of two inches an hour. The officials are afraid that the bridge will be destroyed.

Naked, with body covered with hair and grime; mute and acting like a demented person, the human apparation that has been terrorizing the residents near Swamp was captured last night by two constables after a desperate struggle and locked in a padded cell in Mercer county N. J jail. The constables went to the barn last night and caught the man unawares. The man has evidently lost his reason and power of speech.

A message at Budapesth today from Ungvar Castle, the estate of Count Szechnyi says that Countess Szechnyi, who was Miss Gladys Vanderbilt, is slowly recovering from the serious illness following the premature birth of a son, which lived but a short time. The excitement attendant upon an automobile tour undertaken a few days ago by the count and countess hastened the accouchement, which was not expected until November.

Speaking of the results of the Vermont election Chairman Mack of the democratic national committee said in New York today: "The result is very satisfactory to us. We spent no money there and we sent no speakers. On the other hand the republicans sent national speakers, spent a whole lot of money and made a vigorous effort. The returns show the republican vote fell off from eight to ten per cent., while the democratic vote is only from two to four per cent. compared with four years ago. We don't intend to make any special effort in Maine."

The Jersey City police are today looking for a woman robber, who entered the flat of Mrs. Mary Baloeweiz, chloroformed her and secured $5 that was hidden in one of the rooms. According to the story told the police the woman told Mrs Baloeweiz that she was a collector for the gas company and wanted to get the money in the "quarter in the slot" gas meter. Mrs. Baloeweiz asked the visitor to show her authority. The woman leveled a revolver, then drew out a handkerchief saturated with chloroform and held it in Mrs. Baloeweiz' face until she became unconscious. A good description of the woman has been given to the police.

William Jennings Bryan got the news of the Vermont elections when he reached Minneapolis today en route to Sioux City, Ia., where he will deliver an address tonight. He noted that there was a falling off apparent in the vote of both parties but it was impossible to glean from his manner whether the news suited him. The recent attacks made upon him by republican leaders have annoyed Mr. Bryan and has decided to reply to them. He will devote his entire speech at Rochester before the democratic state convention on September 16 to his republican opponent. His topic will be "Taft and his scares," and according to those closest to him, the democratic candidate will answer all of the charges made by Taft that his election would injure the prosperity of the country.

Rev. Dr. George E. Stockwell, of Fort Plain, N. Y., was nominated for governor by the prohibitionists at the Syracuse convention today.

One man was instantly killed and two fatally and six seriously injured this morning when a train ran down a gang of workmen employed in track work in Chicago.

The plants of the Atlanta trunk factory and the Empire Printing Company, at Atlanta, Ga., were burned today and a lumber yard destroyed. The loss is estimated at $100,000.

Returns from yesterday's primary in Wisconsin indicate that U. S. Senator Stephenson has been renominated by the republicans. Congressman Jenkins, chairman of the House judiciary committee and an ally of Speaker Cannon, has probably been defeated.

Telephone advices at Sonora, Cal., today say that only a change of wind can save the famous Calaveras Grove of big trees. Forest fires are raging in the south grove for the second time this year. Hundred of soldiers and rangers are fighting the flames. Great damage has already been done by the fire.

The Japanese battleship Yashmis and the Russian battleship Sebastopol, both of which were sunk in the Russo-Japanese war, have been located by the steamer Saruhashi, a salvage vessel sent out by the Japanese naval department. The Saruhashi is now searching for the Hatsuse and the cruiser Takasago.

Reports of another outbreak in Honduras reached the City of Mexico today. Dissatisfaction with the administration of President Davila, who is burdening the country with taxes, is said to be behind the present uprising. These conditions probably account for the dispatch of the Mexican gunboat Bravo to Puerto Cortes to cooperate with the American gunboat Marietta.

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September 4th for ladies and gentlemen.
Hats Cleaned
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Avalanches.

Geneva, Sept. 2.—Heavy loss of life and the greatest destruction of several villages are reported today from the Swiss Tyrolese frontiers where an unexpected thaw has precipitated terrific avalanches and floods. Between 30 and 40 persons are known to have been killed and a number of parties who were climbing the Alps are missing.

Race Meet and Labor Day Celebration.

Burke, Va., Sept. 7; low rates and special train service via Southern Railway. Leave Washington 11.10 a. m.; pass Alexandria 11 a. m., returning same day leave Burke 6 15 p. m. Round trip from Alexandria 50 cents. Also reduced rates to all commutation points in Virginia account Labor Day; dates of sale Sept. 5, 6, 7; final limit, Sept. 8, 1908.

COURT OF APPEALS.

The Court of Appeals of Virginia opened its fall session at Staunton yesterday with all judges present. The much-talked-of case of the Commonwealth vs. McCue's executors was to have come up, but was removed to Richmond on account of Attorney Harmon's illness.

The Norfolk poll tax case, in which the entire State is interested, owing to its bearing on the qualification of voters for the fall election, was, as stated yesterday, also removed to Richmond.

Bertram vs. Commonwealth, from Rockingham county, argued and submitted.

Burton and Conquest vs. Commonwealth, from Norfolk City Court; argued and submitted.

O'Donnell vs. Commonwealth submitted on briefs.

Harvey vs. Hoffman argued and submitted.

ARRESTED IN WARRENTON.

Robert Partridge was arrested in Warrenton yesterday by Sheriff Hamilton and turned over to Detective Mullins, of Washington, in whose charge he was last night carried to Washington to answer a charge of obtaining money under false pretences. It is understood that Partridge is charged with having obtained a sum of money for stock and shares in a mining camp near Broad Run Station, and upon the advice of several parties from whom he obtained sums of money, the matter was looked into and no mining camp or anything pertaining to such an enterprise could be found or located, whereupon the warrant was sworn out against Partridge, which was followed by his arrest yesterday. He was kept in custody all day until the evening train for Washington left.

ANNOUNCEMENT.

I desire to say to my friends and former patrons that we want you to enjoy our entertainments. We have selected the vacant lot on the corners of Peyton, Commerce and Prince streets, as there is much room, and we want all of Alexandria to come to the show, which is free.

We will sell New Life and other medicines every night. You may buy any of our medicines, we believe, at any drug store in the city. At any rate we sell to E. S. Leadbeater & Sons, who are our distributors for Alexandria and Richmond.

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Dancing : : Palm Garden
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FOR SALE.
Nine Room Brick, good condition, excellent location,
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F. O. E.—Important meeting of ALVA AERIE, No. 871, WEDNESDAY, September 2nd, 8 p. m., Alexandria Bank Building. By order of W. P.
sept 2t J. H. WEST, Secretary.

Alexandria Gazette.

WEDNESDAY EVENING, SEPT. 2, 1908.

Local Matters.

Sun and Tide Table:

Sun rises tomorrow at 5:31 and sets at 6:28. High water at 12.27 a. m. and 12.47 p. m.

Weather Probabilities.

For this section fair tonight and Thursday; cooler Thursday; light to fresh northwesterly winds.

ESCAPED FROM JAIL.

Richard McGuire and Samuel Hines, colored, who were arrested by the Alexandria police about three weeks ago and identified as the two principals in committing a number of robberies in Alexandria county, escaped from the jail at Fort Myer Heights last night, after assaulting the jailer. The news of their escape spread through the county and at a late hour about 50 cavalrymen from Fort Myer, who were called out at the request of the county authorities, were scouring the county for them. It appears that Hines and McGuire asked to be released temporarily, and, not suspecting them, the jailer complied with their request, forgetting that he had left the door leading from the prison into his residence open. As soon as the two negroes reached the corridor they attacked Jailer Crack; after stunning him with blows on the head, using their fists, they dashed through the door and ran for the woods nearby, each taking a different direction. As soon as Jailer Crack recovered from the shock he gave chase and fired four shots at McGuire, who lost his hat as he ran, but the negro escaped unharmed. Realizing that it would be impossible to follow both men, Crack returned to the jail and telephoned George H. Rucker, clerk of the circuit court of Alexandria county, and Mr. Rucker at once appealed to the officers at Fort Myer for assistance. A number of members of Companies G and H responded, and were soon making a thorough search for the fugitives, though Maj. Dickman, the commanding officer in the absence of Col. Hatfield, declined to say whether the men had been ordered out or had simply volunteered to assist the county officers. These negroes were arrested after a series of burglaries and highway robberies in Alexandria county that had created a reign of terror adjacent to this city. They were identified by Manuel Tavares as the men who attempted to rob him and shot him through the arm, and by A. M. Roberts, of The Plains, Va., as the men who held him up near the union station and relieved him of his watch and a fountain pen. When arrested Hines carried a pistol, which David Pettit, of Alexandria county, identified as having been stolen from his residence, together with a number of other articles. The Alexandria police have a complete description of the men, and a sharp lookout for them will be kept up in this city.

ALEXANDRIAN'S INVENTION.

The merits of the Pettey Electrical Indicator Signal is speaking for itself.

It is an appliance designed to prevent collisions between fire engines and street cars or vehicles, and between railway locomotives and teams at crossings, as the apparatus is equally applicable for service in the city or along a railway line. The electrical apparatus is so constructed that the start and stop is made automatically and as they are manipulated from the engine house or central fire station the signals only at the street corners through which the fire apparatus will pass are rung. Several railroads have already adopted the system and the Rochester, N. Y. Railway Company has been in communication with the manufacturers for several months in regard to the installation of the system there.

The Rochester Railway Company Monday morning witnessed a demonstration of the Pettey Electrical Indicator Signal. The demonstration was made at the general offices of the company in State street by George W. Pettey, the inventor and general manager of the signal company, of this city.

Mr. Pettey, the inventor, who conducted the demonstration said that the appliance never goes to sleep and never has a day off. Mr. Pettey attended the convention of fire chiefs which met at Columbus, Ohio, last week.

A telegram from Rochester, N. Y., today says that theAlexandria man's invention was enthusiastically endorsed by the Rochester Railway and fire officials.

ELKS' EXCURSION.

Everything is in readiness for the complimentary excursion of the Elks' Dramatic Club tomorrow. The weather is all that can be expected and the steamer Macalester, which broke her shaft a few days ago, will arrive tonight, and resume her trips and convey those who have tickets to Marshall Hall. Every pleasure that could be offered will be furnished tomorrow. The races will be of the first order and other amusements first class. The schooner Ella Hill, the judges' boat, will be reserved for the members of the press. The races will start on the arrival of the 2:30 o'clock boat from Alexandria.

FELL THROUGH BRIDGE.

It is reported in the city today that a young man connected with the government offices in this city in an effort to walk across the W., A. & Mt. Vernon Railway bridge fell through and it was with great difficulty he reached the land. He returned to this city badly drenched.

YOUNG GIRLS RUN THE STREETS

"Train up a child in the way it should go and when it gets old it will not depart from it." Such was said and written many years ago, but judging from the number of youngsters—especially g'rls—running the streets all hours of the night the training must have been sadly neglected or this saying is entirely wrong. If the parents of some of the children could see their antics it would bring the blush to their cheeks. The practice of girls from 10 years of age to 16 running the streets and mixing with all kinds of company is to be frowned on.

CHANCE FOR BARGAINS.

Tomorrow will be remnant day at Swan Bros'., northeast corner of King and Pitt streets. Similar sales are conducted every Thursday, and bargains are procured by all in need of dry goods.

DeWitt's Kidney and Bladder Pills will promptly relieve all Kidney and Bladder disorders. Sold and recommended by W F. Creighton & Co.

Reduction Sale of Low Shoes, Pumps, Oxfords and Colonial ues, all new effects, latest styles. This is an oportunity, don't miss it. J. A. Marshall & Bro

BALLOON UP AT NIGHT.

For the first time since the army signal corps began balloon experiments, a night ascension was made at Fort Myer, Va., in one of the new spherical balloons furnished by Capt. Thomas S. Baldwin. The balloon was inflated with gas from the military dirigible balloon, which is being deflated for shipment to St. Joseph, Mo.

The balloon left the ground at 9:30 o'clock, and, driven by a light southeasterly breeze, sailed over the Potomac river into Maryland. The passengers were Lieut Lahm and Lieut. Foulois, of the signal corps, and Selfridge, of the field artillery.

Brigadier General James Allen, chief signal officer, will leave Washington on Thursday for New York, where he will sail Saturday on the St. Paul for Europe. He will attend the International Electrical Congress, at Marseilles, on September 14, as the representative of the United States army. Later he will go to Berlin to witness the international balloon race, on October 11.

The Wright aeroplane has been moved into the tent at the parade ground at the fort and the first preliminary trial flight will probably be made today.

SPEECH ON THE TARIFF.

W. C. Coleman, colored, who has been endeavoring for some time to gather an audience near the ship yard before which he proposes to handle the political issues which now confront the American people, has sent a copy of his speech to this office for publication. His subject is the tariff. There are many instances in this world where psalms are sung to dead asses, and should an attempt be made to deliver a speech on the tariff to an audience likely to gather at the point designated it would be a repetition of that folly. More homely topics might be suggested—how to bake a hoe cake, or the surest way to strike policy.

DEATH OF EVERETTE REID.

The body of Everette Reid, who died of consumption at Black Hills, N. C., Friday last, arrived at Manassas, Sunday night, and the funeral services were held in Trinity Episcopal Church Monday afternoon. Rev. F. Leslie Robinson, rector of the church, officiated and the burial was in the Manassas cemetery. Mr. Reid was a son of John L. Reid, of Alexandria, and a son-in-law of W. N. Merchant, of Manassas. He was a young man of exemplary character, and for a number of years a trusted employe of the Southern Railway Company.

DEMOCRATIC COMMITTEE.

The democratic committee met at the Opera House Cafe last night when it was decided to call a mass meeting of the citizens at Sarepta Hall next Saturday night to formulate plans for the organization of a Bryan, Kern and Carlin Club. It is understood that speakers from a distance will be invited. As there are three candidates from the city for the legislature and one from the county this would be an occasion for them to spread themselves. Speeches from Messrs. Birrell, Arnold, Moncure and Clements may be expected.

HUNTERS OF THE REEDBIRDS.

Alexandria's sporting population was out in force yesterday to get a shot at the delicate reedbird, blackbird, and ortolan on the opening of the gunning season. In all kinds of vehicles, and frequently with an outfit consisting of a pair of boots and an ancient shotgun, the hunters marched forth at early dawn. The reedbirds are not plentiful this year, and if yesterday's results is a criterion the season is going to be one the poorest of recent years. Casualties reported as a result of the first day's work are few.

REPORTS SON-IN-LAW MISSING.

John R. Bolton, whose home is on Duke street extended, Alexandria, last night notified the police that his son-in-law, Gordon Hagar, about 40 years of age, left home about 10:30 o'clock last Saturday morning to have a prescription filled at a local drug store and had not returned. Hagar is described as a sober and industrious man, and his family fears he has met with foul play. His father-in-law stated that he had about $10 on his person when he left home. Hagar is about 5 feet 7 inches in height, and wore a brown mustache, dark coat, and light felt hat when he disappeared.

POLICE COURT.

[Justice H. B. Caton presiding.]

The following cases were disposed of this morning:

A white and a colored man, charged with disorderly conduct, were fined $2.50 each.

James Jones, colored, charged with assaulting John Douglas, was dismissed, the complainant failing to appear.

Lina Stewart, colored, charged with disorderly conduct, was dismissed.

ENTERTAINED AT CRAB PICKING

Ex-Public Printer Ricketts and Messrs. Dingman and Hahn and other nobles of the Mystic Shrine of Washington called on Mayor Paff last night. The mayor, in company with Councilman Chas. B. Marshall, entertained them at the Opera House Cafe. The company left before midnight.

ERRATUM.

In the official proceedings of the meeting of the Board of Aldermen published in yesterday's Gazette the name of Mr. W. W. Ballenger was inadvertently omitted in the list of the members who voted for the re-election of Mr. J. M. Hill for vice president.

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AMUSEMENTS.

There will be an entire change of pictures at the Alexandria Amusement Company tonight. Among the amusing scenes are "Mr. and Mrs. Gay," "A Dramatic Rehearsal," "The Lost Mine" and "Oh Me, Oh My." These are great pictures and you should see them.

An interesting feature of the exhibition now being given by the Elite Moving Picture Company in Schuler's Hall is the performance of the Clark Brothers, the champion whistlers and imitators. The pictures shown are among the best, and all who attend the exhibitions are highly plessed.

At the Opera House the vaudeville will be the feature. Gordon & Phillips in their black face comedy, Geo. Van, in Irish comedy and singing and dancing will be on tonight. Change each night in motion pictures.

PERSONAL.

Mrs. E. M. Anderson and daughter, who have been spending the summer in the mountains at Loudoun county have returned home.

Mr. James W. Goods has returned from a pleasant trip to Upperville.

Maj. Thomas P. Wallace, of Fredericksburg, was among the visitors to this city yesterday.

Mr. Max Rosenfeld left today for New York to lay in his stock of fall goods.

Mr. R. P. W. Garnett has returned from a few weeks' visit to Essex and adjoining counties.

Mr. and Mrs. Thomas A. Fisher have returned from Colonial Beach.

Mr. D. D. Davis, of Alexandria, arrived in Harrisonburg Monday and is a guest at The Clarendon. Miss Iona Gorham, of Alexandria, who has been visiting her friends, the Misses Deck, on north Main street, left Monday for her home. Miss Ethel Simmons left Monday for her home in Alexandria, after spending a week visiting relatives in Elkton and the family of Mr. R. L. Allen, on German street.—[Harrisonburg Times.

Miss Eugene Howdershell, of Washington, who has been visiting her cousins, the Misses Howdershell, at Lincolnia, accompanied by Miss Ellie Howdershell, has gone to Waterfall, Prince William county, to spend part of her vacation with Mrs. Randolph Smith. They will attend the horse show at Warrenton.

Messrs. G. L. Boothe and E. S. Leadbeater and their families who spent the summer on Seminary Hill, have returned to their homes in this city.

Rev. Jos. R. Sevier being absent from the city in attendance upon his father, who will undergo an operation at Johns Hopkins Hospital, Baltimore, Rev. H. Waddell Pratt, pastor of the Second Presbyterian Church, of Washington, will take his place at the Wednesday night service at the Second Presbyterian Church.

Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Lyles, of Alexandria, and Miss E. Maude Garrett, of Richmond, have been recent guests at "Cedar Ridge," the most hospitable home of Mr. James A. Garrett, in south Orange, Va.—[Richmond Journal.

Mr. and Mrs. F. J. Davidson have returned from a visit to Markham.

Miss Emma Broadus, who has been visiting Mrs. John Emmerson at Cape Henry, has returned to her home in Alexandria.—[Norfolk Ledger.

The marriage of Miss Helen J. Jones, of Rapidan, to Mr. Llewellyn Hoxton, formerly of Seminary Hill, but now of Charlottesville, will be quietly celebrated this evening at 6 o'clock, in the residence of the bride's sister, Mrs. Egbert G. Leigh, jr., on west Franklin street, Richmond. Mrs. Graham R. Holly, of New York, also sister of the bride, will attend her as matron of honor, and Mr. Archer Hoxton, the groom's brother, will be best man. No cards have been issued, and the ceremony will be performed in the presence of the immediate relatives of the contracting parties, Mrs. Leigh's family being in mourning.

Rev. C. E. Woodson and his daughter, Miss Elizabeth Woodson, of Norfolk, are in the city on a short visit to relatives.

Mrs. Chas. Hall and daughter, of Baltimore, have returned home after a pleasant visit to Mrs. C. M. Schwab.

Mr. C. M. Schwab has returned from Atlantic City.

Mrs. Marie Baker pleasantly entertained some friends in this city and from Falls Church, Washington and Waterford, last evening at the home of her mother, Mrs. Mansfield. Music and games were features of the evening and refreshments were served.

Mrs. Benjamin Wheatley is visiting friends in Lynchburg.

Mr. A. H. Agnew who has been connected with the United States internal revenue collector's office in Abingdon, has been transferred to this city.

LOCAL BREVITIES.

A heavy fog hung over this city and vicinity at an early hour this morning.

The regular monthly meeting of the Columbia Steam Fire Engine Company will be held tonight.

The schooner Stephen Chase, from Nomini, with canned goods for Alexandria merchants, has arrived.

Mr. S. D. DeVaughn has been awarded the contract for erecting a two story frame dwelling at Braddock for Mr. Wm. Petre.

After making two unsuccessful attempts at Fort Myer last night to fly the big spherical balloon filled with the gas from Capt. Baldwin's dirigible, Lieuts. Lahm, Selfridge and Foulois were forced to give up the attempt. The efforts failed principally because of the heavy fog that hung over the signal station and the lack of wind sufficiently strong to allow the balloon to make headway.

The colored Odd Fellows gave an excursion today to Somerset Beach, which was largely attended.

The scow Lily of the West, Capt. Wm. E. Sisson, sailed today for Fort Washington loaded with iron columns.

Harrington's stables were lighted last night with electricity from the cellar to the roof and presented a dazzling appearance.

Messrs. J. K. M. Norton and C. C. Carlin have sold to Mr. T. J. Fannon a lot on the old fair grounds at the head of King street. As heretofore stated Mr. Fannon will erect three buildings on the lots he has recently purchased on this site.

Mrs. Jessie Jones, upon whom a surgical operation was performed two weeks ago at Charles Town, W. Va., died yesterday. She was a daughter of A. Burton, of Bolivar, W. Va., and a near relative of Capt. A. J. Fair of this city.

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THE LEPER.

The Gazette has published each day recent articles concerning John Early the leper, who is isolated in a tent near Washington. Early is a poor man and has a family and is therefore in need of funds. The sympathy of Alexandrians is being enlisted and Mr. George C Heon, a fruit merchant, is willing to head a list of contributors for the unfortunate man to the extent of $2 50.

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WEDNESDAY EVENING, SEPT. 2, 1908.

A Wash Twice a Year.

A charming Hungarian countess once said to me, "What is so nice about the men from England is that they look so clean, as if they had just come from a swim." Of course we pride ourselves on our morning tubs, splash and splutter and shiver and polish up with rough towels. "What dirty people those English are," remarked an Italian, "when they find it necessary to wash all over every day! Why, I only wash twice a year!" I have met Chinese who regard washing all over as a proceeding decidedly improper. A Chinese is washed when he is born, and he has no other altogether wash till he is dead. But we British people have adopted cleanliness only of recent years. Small houses have their bathrooms, but very few houses built over half a century ago were provided with bathrooms. I suppose those must have been the days of the Saturday night wash in the kitchen. Certainly our gay cavalier ancestors in silks and ruffles must have been a dirty gang. Handkerchiefs were not invented, and the velvet cloaks must often have been greasy. The rollicking old times were very dirty old times.—"Baths, Pleasant and Otherwise."

The Don't Worry Theory.

The usual advice given to the worrier is, "Don't worry." This advice is foolish because impractical. No one can stop thinking one type of thought except by substituting for it another. Besides, it is dangerous advice, for, even supposing one could mechanically put an end to a worrying state of mind, he would simply be like an engineer who should plant himself on the safety valve of his engine. The energy expended in worry, turned inward on itself, would tear the mental mechanism to pieces. No! What the worried man or woman needs evidently is to be taught how to find a healthful outlet for his or her nervous power thus going to waste. If we say "Don't worry," let us also be careful to add. "But work," and let us also point out what kind of work should be undertaken and the spirit in which it ought to be done. In other words, what the worrier needs is re-education.—Rev. S. S. McComb in Harper's Bazar.

Jefferson Davis' Ambition.

Jefferson Davis was a man of most sincere conviction and courageous action, and when the Southern Confederacy was about to be organized his single ambition was the command of the Confederate army. This I had from his own lips at his residence at Beauvoir, Miss., some fifteen years after the war. He told me that when he started for Montgomery, Ala., when the movement began for the organization of the Confederacy he hoped to be called to the command of the army but before he reached Montgomery he was advised of his election as provisionary president. When he reached the new capital of the Confederacy he found it impossible to change conditions, and he was compelled to accept the presidency, and he entered upon that duty as conscientiously as any public man ever entered upon an official career.—Colonel A. K. McClure in "Confederate Veterans."

A Yoga Story.

For fourteen years Bava Luchman Dass received from the priests of the Black Caves of central India the necessary education in order to become a yoga, as a yoga must be capable of taking the forty-eight postures of the Hindoo idols. Perhaps the greatest trick consists in balancing himself on the ends of his fingers while the whole of his body is in the air. Bava stated that in order to obtain the rank of yoga in the Black Caves of India he had to continue in this position on the ends of his fingers under the eyes of the judges, without a second's interval, for seven days and nights!—Strand Magazine.

Low Necked Dresses.

In the early days of Pennsylvania there was a law, as we learn from documents in the state department, which stated as follows: "That if any white female of ten years or upward should appear in any public street, lane, highway, church, courthouse, tavern, ball, theater or any other place of public resort with naked shoulders—i. e., low necked dresses—being able to purchase necessary clothing, she shall forfeit and pay a fine of not less than $100 nor more than $200."

Not For His.

The Boston Teacher—Waldo, would you like to have lived in ancient Greece?

The Boston Pupil—No, ma'am.

B. T.—And why not, pray?

B. P.—As I understand it, Greek mothers wore wooden sandals and Greek boys didn't wear any trousers.—Cleveland Leader.

Her Compliment.

"Uncle Jehosophat, I'm goin' to name my kitten after you."

"Well, well, that is nice of you"—

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Race Meet and Labor Day Celebration, Burke, Va., Monday, September 7, 1908.

Account above, Southern Railway announces reduced rates from territory Washington to Manassas, inclusive, to Burke, Va., and return; tickets on sale Monday, September 7th, 1908, final limit September 7, 1908.

Special train will be operated leaving Washington 11.10 a. m., date in question, arrive Burke 11:55 a. m.; leave Burke 6:15 p. m. same afternoon, arrive Washington 7:00 p. m. Those from south of Burke will have advantage of good regular train service.

For further information apply to Southern Railway ticket agents.

PROPOSALS.—Proposals will be received at the office of the City Engineer until 12 o'clock noon FRIDAY, September 4, for cement, sand and gravel to be used in the construction of a vitrified brick pavement on Columbus street from King street to Cameron street. Specifications can be had at the office of the City Engineer.

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LEGAL NOTICES.

VIRGINIA.—In the Clerk's Office of the Circuit Court of the City of Alexandria, on the 1st day of August, 1908.

William N. Amory, complainant, vs. Washington Steamboat Company, Limited; Elizabeth Lyon and the Acre Realty Company, defendants. Chancery attachment. Memo. The object of this suit is to attach the following described piece of property, situated in the city of Alexandria: Beginning on the north side of King street at a point 60 feet to the eastward of Union street; thence northwardly parallel to Union street 81 feet more or less; thence eastwardly parallel to King street 70 feet; thence northwardly parallel to Union street to a point 83 feet 9½ inches north of King street; thence eastwardly parallel to King street into the river Potomac to the channel thereof; thence southwardly with said channel to King street extended in said river, and thence in straight line to the beginning; to set aside certain fraudulent conveyances of same, and to subject same to payment of complainant's claim.

It appearing by an affidavit filed in this cause that the defendants, the Washington Steamboat Company, Limited; Elizabeth Lyon and the Acre Realty Company, are non-residents of this State: It is Ordered, That said defendants appear here within fifteen days after due publication of this order and do what is necessary to protect their interests in this suit, and that a copy of this order be forthwith inserted in the Alexandria Gazette, a newspaper published in the city of Alexandria, once a week for four successive weeks, and posted at the front door of the court house of this city. A copy—Teste:

NEVELL S. GREENAWAY, Clerk.
Basil D. Boteler, p. q. aug3 w4w-m

VIRGINIA.—In the Clerk's Office of the Corporation Court of the city of Alexandria, on the 30th day of July, 1908.

Cananea-Pittsburg Copper Company, a corporation, vs. George J. Easterday. In chancery.

Memo. The object of this suit is to attach 7,800 shares of the defendant in the Cananea-Pittsburg Copper Company, and subject the same to the claim of the plaintiff.

It appearing by an affidavit filed in this cause that the defendant, George J. Easterday, is a non-resident of this State: It is Ordered, That said defendant appear here within fifteen days after due publication of this order, and do what is necessary to protect his interests in this suit and that a copy of this order be forthwith inserted in the Alexandria Gazette, a newspaper published in the city of Alexandria, once a week for four successive weeks, and posted at the front door of the Court House of this city.

A copy—Teste
NEVELL S. GREENAWAY, Clerk.
Norton & Boothe, p. q. jy30 w4w th

VIRGINIA.—In the Clerk's Office of the Corporation Court of the City of Alexandria, on the 14th day of August, 1908.

John T. Butts vs. Alice W. Butts, } In chancery.

Memo. The object of this suit is to obtain an absolute divorce by the complainant from the defendant on the ground of desertion.

It appearing by an affidavit filed in this cause that the defendant, Alice W. Butts, is a non resident of this State: It is Ordered, That said defendant appear here within fifteen days after due publication of this order, and do what is necessary to protect her interests in this suit, and that a copy of this order be forthwith inserted in the Alexandria Gazette, a newspaper published in the city of Alexandria, once a week for four successive weeks and posted at the front door of the Court House of this city.

A copy—Teste.
NEVELL S. GREENAWAY, Clerk.
Samuel G. Brent, P. Q. aug14 w4wfri

VIRGINIA.—In the Clerk's Office of the Corporation Court of the city of Alexandria, on the 21st day of August, 1908.

Mary E. Montague, complainant, vs. Randolph Jerome Montague, defendant. In chancery.

Memo. The object of this suit is to obtain a divorce a mensa et thoro for the complainant from the defendant, and for general relief.

It appearing by an affidavit filed in this cause that the defendants, Randolph Jerome Montague, is a non-resident of this State: It is Ordered, That said defendant appear here within fifteen days after due publication of this order; and do what is necessary to protect his interests in this suit, and that a copy of this order be forthwith inserted in the Alexandria Gazette, a newspaper published in the city of Alexandria, once a week for four successive weeks, and posted at the front door of the Court House of this city.

A copy—Teste.
NEVELL S. GREENAWAY, Clerk.
Leo P. Harlow, P. Q. aug21 w4wf

OFFICE CITY SCHOOL BOARD,
Alexandria, Va., Aug 27, 1908.

Sealed proposals will be received by the Clerk of the City School Board, for the Committee on Finance and Accounts, until FRIDAY, September 4, at 12 o'clock M., for furnishing EIGHTY TONS or more of WHITE ASH COAL—seventy stove and ten nut size—and FIFTY-FIVE TONS OF CUMBERLAND COAL—for the public schools.

Also TEN CORDS of SAWED and SPLIT PINE WOOD.

Both coal and wood to be delivered and stored as needed. The right to reject any or all bids is reserved.

Proposals to be addressed to the Clerk of the City School Board. aug27 1w

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Southern mails via Charlottesville close at 7.10 and 10 30 a. m., and 3 20 and 10 30 p. m. Open at 8 00 a. m. and 6 00 p. m.

Southern mails, via Richmond, close at 8 45 and 10 30 a. m., and 3 25, 6 00 and 10 30 p. m. Open at 8 a. m., 12 m and 4 p. m.

Manassas Division mails close at 7 10 a. m and 3 20 p. m. Open at 12 30 and 9 30 p. m.

Alexandria and Round Hill mails close at 7 45 a. m., and 4 00 p. m. Open at 9 00a. m and 2 30 p. m.

Chesapeake and Ohio mails close at 3 20 p. m. and 10 30 p. m. Open at 8 00 a. m. and 6 00 p. m.

Washington mails close at 7 10, a. m. 8 45 and 11 30 a. m., and 2 00, 2 30, 8 15 and 10 30 p. m. Open at 8 00 a. m., 12 00 m. and 4 00 p. m. and 4 30 p. m.

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Sunday Hours—Open at 9 00 a. m. Close at 10 00 a. m.

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SOUTHERN RAILWAY
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In Effect April 19th, 1908.

N. B—Following schedule figures published only as information, and are not guaranteed

8:07 A. M.—Daily—Local for Harrisonburg, and way stations.

8:32 A. M.—Daily—U. S. Fast Mail. Stops only for passengers for points south at which scheduled to stop. Five class coaches, sleepers to Birmingham and drawing-room sleepers to New Orleans. Dining car service.

4:27 P. M. Daily—Washington and Florida limited. Sleeping cars between New York, Augusta and Jacksonville. Through first-class coaches between Washington and Jacksonville. Dining car service between Washington and Jacksonville. Tourist to California tri-weekly.

4:32 P. M.—Week Days—Local for Harrisonburg and way stations on Manassas branch.

5:12 P. M.—Daily—Local for Warrenton and Charlottesville.

11:02 P. M.—Daily—Washington and Chattanooga Limited (via Lynchburg). First class coach and sleeping cars to Roanoke Knoxville, Chattanooga and Memphis. Sleeper to Birmingham and New Orleans. Washington to Roanoke. Dining car service.

11:17 P. M.—Daily—New York and New Orleans Limited. All Pullman train, club and observation cars to New Orleans. Sleepers to Asheville, Atlanta, an New Orleans. Sleeper to Charlotte. Dining car service.

Through trains from the South arrive at Alexandria 8:28 and 8:48 A. M. and 3:13, 8:43, and 11:13 P. M. daily. Harrisonburg 12:08 P. M. week days and 9:13 P. M. daily. From Charlottesville 7:53 A. M.

TRAINS ON BLUEMONT BRANCH.

Leave Alexandria (W. & O. Station) 8:22 A M., 1:40 and 4:28 P. M. week days, and 5:15 P. M. daily to Bluemont; 6:35 P. M. week days for Leesburg; 9:08 and 9:26 A. M. on Sundays only for Bluemont.

For detailed schedule figures, tickets, Pullman reservation, etc., apply to

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FOR MOUNT VERNON.

Leave Alexandria for Mount Vernon, week days, 5 45, 6 52, 8 32, 10 25, 11 25 a. m., 12 25 1 25, 2 25, 3 32, 4 36, 5 35, 7 05 and 8 46 p. m.

Sundays—7 00, 8 30, 9 30, 10 30, 11 30 a. m., 12 30, 1 30, 2 30, 3 30, 4 30, 5 30, 6 30, 7 30 8 46 and 10 16 p. m.

SCHEDULE FOR ALEXANDRIA CITY CAR.

NORTHBOUND.

Leave Ferry Wharf 8 16, 8 41, 9 10, 9 50, 10 25, 11 00, 11 35 a. m.; 12 30, 1 05, 1 35, 2 05, 2 45, 3 30, 4 15, 4 35, 5 05, 5 5, 6 30, 7 05, 7 45, 8 25, 9 00, 9 40 p. m.

SOUTHBOUND.

Leave Spring Park 8 05, 8 30, 8 55, 9 35, 10 10, 10 45, 11 20 a. m; 12 15, 12 50, 1 20, 1 50 2 30, 3 15, 3 50, 4 20, 4 50, 5 30, 6 05, 6 50, 7 25, 8 10, 8 45, 9 25, 10 00 p. m.

Washington Southern Ry
Schedule in effect April 12th 1908.
Trains leave Union Station for Washington and points north at 8 02 and 9 33 a. m., 12 01 2 30, 8 07, 9 23, and 11 33 p. m., week days.
Sundays—9 33 a. m., 12 01, 12 13, 8 52, 9 23 and 11 33 p. m.
For Fredericksburg, Richmond and points south at 4 22, 4 37, and 9 22 a. m., 4:02, 5 07 (local), and 6 37 p. m., week days.
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